

Summary Statement

Every company can improve their security posture. Every company can be breached if the attacker is highly skilled and dedicated. With proper oversight of the vast potential vulnerabilities in any company, the risks can be dramatically reduced through development and proper management of a detailed security program. I can deliver that to your organization.

I have been working in the IT space doing hands-on management of IT infrastructure for multiple companies. I have deployed many controls including SSO, group policies, ACLs, IPS, monitoring and response, change management, MDM, security policies, risk analysis, training, and more.

I have led a local Microsoft Gold Partner in hosting SaaS to international enterprises and brought them to SOC II Type 2 compliance for four years. As CIO of another company, I prepared them for reaching a similar compliance by introducing all security policies and governance, ITIL controls, access and asset management, and application development standards.

With the ability to learn quickly and analyze a situation, I can come up with solutions for nearly any issue. I have the vision to see the big picture, develop a strategy, and then get down to the details.

Business Profile - Bio

Brian Freeman is an IT security professional who is specialized in the management and hands on security of corporate technology. Working from over twenty years of experience he has developed entire security programs for companies including the development of policies, processes and documentation. He has a broad range of infrastructure and application experience both configuring, deploying, and securing systems. He is experienced in SOC II audits and familiar with many compliance standards and controls.

Brian has the ability to assess a company's security posture and develop and execute plans for vulnerability remediation. His experience goes beyond IT and includes executive management, vision for IT, and business growth.

His experience includes complex project management leading teams and developing full lifecycle projects for Change Management and ERP implementations, company mergers, and data center migrations. Brian has the ability to developed entire security programs for organizations and execute them.

His experience and degrees are backed up with constant continuing education and involvement in the IT and security industries, and the ability to communicate effectively at all levels of an organization.

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Education

Mini Master Of Information Technology
St. Thomas University, St. Paul, MN

BS: Industrial Technology (Magnu Cum Laude)

Concentration: **Graphic Arts Management**
Minor: **Computer Science** (included programming in 4 languages)
University of Wisconsin-Stout,
Menomonie, WI

AA: Liberal Arts
Lakewood Community College, White Bear Lake, MN

CISSP from (ISC)²

ITIL from Axelos

AVSE AlienVault Certified Security Engineer from AT&T

SME Green Manufacturing Specialist Certificate from Purdue University

OSHA Certificate

Continuing Education

Classroom courses - 17

Virtual courses - 86

(66 focused on security)

Accomplishments

Security Deployments

Development of entire compliance programs for four companies following SOC, ISO, HIPPA, & PCI compliance.

Company Acquisition

Planning and execution of merging technology for two companies.

ERP Implementation

Complete planning, development, deployment, training, and management of complex ERP system.

Data Center migration

Design and execution of hosting data center from one business location to new data center. Multiple migrations of physical and virtual servers to cloud data centers.

Technical Aptitude

- Networking technologies and concepts
- SQL configuration, performance, security
- Server deployment, configuration, management
- Storage, deployment and security
- Infrastructure tools: System Center, Azure, OMS, Anti-virus, patching, O365, reporting
- Security testing tools, SSO, MDM, PKI

Highly proficient on all major platforms, cloud hosting technologies, networking, & security.

Experience

MatrixCare

Bloomington, MN
Senior Security Engineer II - GRC, audit, systems development

John Ryan Performance

Minneapolis, MN
Chief Information Officer - Security strategy, IT management, business development.

GoIWx, Inc.

Maple Grove, MN
Director of Operations - Security strategy, Business systems development, IT Management

Mednet Solutions

Minnnetonka, MN
Systems Administrator - Unix systems management and compliance

Cooperative Printing

Minneapolis, MN
IT/QA Director - Quality program development, IT administration, department management

Colorhouse, Inc.

Plymouth, MN
Production Manager - Department management, systems administration